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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FACILITATING MANUAL PAYMENTS  
FOR TRANSACTIONS CONDUCTED OVER A NETWORK

**AMENDMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of January 18, 2007, to which a three-month shortened statutory period for response has been extended one month by payment of extension of time fees to expire on May 18, 2007, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the Official Action, in view of the herein-contained remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begins on page 2.**Remarks** begin on page 16.

If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.